

**THE ORANGEBURG NEWS**  
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 MUST INvariably ACCOMPANY THE SUBSCRIPTION.  
 Country Prepaid when at Market Rates.  
 We respectfully request our friends to send in their advertisements as early as possible, and if possible, let us have them by Thursday evening. By this means, we will be able to issue an earlier issue on Saturday, and will be enabled to give more of the latest news, up to the time of our going to press.  
 READING MATTER ON EVERY PAGE.  
**LOCAL ITEMS.**  
 SATURDAY MORNING, NOV. 21, 1868.

**Thanksgiving.**  
 Next Thursday our National and State Thanksgiving.  
**Original Story.**  
 We will publish next week, an intensely interesting ORIGINAL NOUVELETTE from the pen of our esteemed correspondent, "DAISY DALE." We promise our readers quite a literary treat, which we know they will appreciate and enjoy.  
**Rev. A. F. Dickson.**  
 The Village is about to suffer a loss in the departure of this esteemed and accomplished Clergyman from our midst. Having been for many years, the pastor of the Presbyterian Church, he has been no less endeared to his charge by his faithful ministrations of holy things, than esteemed and respected in the community as a preacher of ability, and a scholar of fine attainments.  
 He leaves us next week, in acceptance of a call to supply the pulpit of the Fourth Presbyterian Church in New Orleans. His farewell sermon will be preached at the Presbyterian Church in this place, to-morrow morning, at 11 o'clock.

**Light (1) Artillery.**  
 A fine Yam Potato, from the plantation of Mr. Samuel A. Ikar, can be seen at our office. A fine projectile for a piece of artillery, as it is a six pounder, and we have calculated its range.—the Cooking Range.  
**The Cotton Tax.**—We make the following extract from the Columbia *Advertiser*:  
 "The Comptroller General of the State has instructed tax officers to include in their quarterly assessments all cotton purchased and sold by merchants, factors, brokers, bankers, or other persons buying or shipping on commission, or otherwise, which was grown this year, and now exempt from tax by the United States Government by Act of Congress and to collect twenty cents on every hundred dollars worth of it, the same as on other merchandise, considering cotton sold whenever it is shipped."  
 Hints to New York are coming down, and it is easier for people in want of houses to get them now than it has been at any time for years past.  
 A Mississippi colored preacher has commenced publishing the Colored Citizens' Monthly.  
 The Boston Transcript is afraid if all the States this year have Thanksgiving Day on November 26, that "there may not be turkeys enough to go round."

General B. F. Butler has written a letter in which he says: "The South has no firmer friend than I am and have ever been," and he further declares he bears no hatred to the South, or Southern men as such.  
 A New York paper suggests as a means of paying the national debt, that every officeholder pay a dollar a week towards its liquidation until he gets an office.  
 A few days ago for the sum of \$100 an acre of land adjoining is now held at \$150 an acre.  
 The Union Pacific Railroad Company are about to lay out a town at the mouth of the West River, seventy-five miles east of Salt Lake City.  
 A number of capitalists in Auburn, N. York, have purchased eighty thousand acres of land near Yazoo, Florida, and are about to colonize it with people from that State.  
 John Quincy Adams, the Democratic candidate for Governor in Massachusetts, ran ten thousand ahead of his ticket at the recent election.

The skull of a mustodon, measuring three feet in length, two feet eight inches in width, and two feet across the nostrils, and weighing one hundred pounds, it is reported, has been found in the County, Ohio.  
 The New York Evening Mail says that hundreds of "new young men" in that city, many of them "society fellows," live entirely upon borrowed money.

**Consignees for South Carolina Railroad**  
 Clearing in the Depot to Date.  
 B. H. Knotts, D. C. Rowe, J. A. Keller, V. M. Smith, J. A. Parker.  
 In accordance with orders received from the Superintendent, Storage will hereafter be charged on Goods remaining in the Depot for an unreasonable length of time.  
 W. C. MEHEDITH, Agent.

**COMMERCIAL.**  
 Office of the Orangeburg News,  
 November 20, 1868.  
**COTTON.**—Sales for the week, 220 bales. We quote:  
 Ordinary.....19  
 Good Ordinary.....19  
 Low Middling.....19  
 Middling.....20  
 Strict Middling.....21  
 Good Middling.....21  
 Bacon Iron—Is in good demand at \$1.60 per bushel.  
 Corn 80 cts. Peas 30 cts.  
 Plasters, 2lbs to bushel, \$1 25.  
 GOLD.....80  
 SILVER.....22

**Report of the Charleston Cotton Market**  
 For the Week ending November 19.  
 Reported for the Orangeburg News by W. WALTON SMITH, COTTON FACTOR.  
 There has been little or no change in our market during the past week, except that holders were more willing to meet the views of buyers, and more has been done. The sales of the week foot up some 8200 bales. We quote:  
 Low Middling.....22  
 Middling.....22  
 Strict Middling.....22

**Sheriff's Sales.**

By virtue of sundry writs of f. fa. to me directed I will sell to the highest bidder, at Orangeburg Court House, on the first Monday in December next, for cash the following property, viz:  
 One tract of land containing nine hundred acres more or less, bounded by lands of Brandenburg, Mrs. P. Thompson and estate of W. S. Thompson. Levied on as the property of A. R. Tabor at the suit of J. M. Crosswell.  
**ALSO**  
 Another tract containing seventy-five acres more or less, (known as the Daniel Karrick tract,) bounded by lands of D. J. Zeigler and estate lands of W. S. Thompson. Levied on as the property of A. R. Tabor at the suit of J. M. Crosswell.  
**ALSO**  
 A tract containing fifty acres more or less, bounded by lands of D. J. Zeigler and Mrs. Thompson. Levied on as the property of A. R. Tabor at the suit of J. M. Crosswell.  
**ALSO**  
 One tract of land containing eight hundred and fifty acres more or less, lying on the waters of Fern Swamp, bounded by lands of A. C. Zeigler, J. P. Pearson, Edwin Rutland and Jacob Mack. Levied on as the property of John C. Kennerly at the suit of Daniel Riley.  
**ALSO**  
 One tract of land containing one hundred and four acres more or less, bounded by lands of Salina Till, Zimmerman and Albert Patrick. Levied on as the property of H. B. Carson at the suit of George D. Smith.

**ALSO**  
 One tract of land containing two hundred and twenty-five acres more or less, lying on Fern Branch, bounded by lands of Wm. Livingston, Wm. Knotts, Jacob Wolfe, and by lands formerly owned by John Huffman. Levied on as the property of William Hooker at the suit of Ellis & Brewster.  
**ALSO**  
 All the undivided right, title and interest of Charles S. Bull in the lease and lot on Russell Street, lately occupied by Chase, Bull & Co., bounded by lands of Oliveros, J. C. Pike, trustee, and D. Louis. Levied on as the property of Charles S. Bull at the suit of Wm. M. Bird & Co.  
**ALSO**  
 A tract of land containing three hundred and thirteen acres more or less, known as the Wannamaker plantation, bounded by lands of Mary L. Stoumire, D. C. Stoumire, Wm. Watts and Elihu Gates. Levied on as the property of Ann E. Haigler and J. A. M. Haigler at the suit of D. J. Zeigler and Dr. J. A. Keller.  
**ALSO**  
 A tract of land containing three hundred acres more or less, known as the Haigler plantation, bounded by lands of the estate of G. T. Erick. Levied on as the property of Ann E. Haigler and J. A. M. Haigler at the suit of D. J. Zeigler and Dr. J. A. Keller.  
**ALSO**  
 Three Mules, one Wagon, two hundred bushels of corn more or less, two thousand pounds of Fodder and five bushels of Rice, and one Buggy. Levied on as the property of Ann E. Haigler and J. A. M. Haigler at the suit of D. J. Zeigler and Dr. J. A. Keller.  
**ALSO**  
 Three hundred acres more or less bounded by lands of David Fersner, Samuel Rickenbaker and L. H. Zimmerman. Levied on as the property of G. Zimmerman at the suit of John Sellers, Administrator for another.

**ALSO**  
 A tract of land containing 15 acres more or less, bounded by lands of C. Arant, E. Eckel and W. T. McKewen. Levied on as the property of C. Arant at the suit of D. Louis.  
**ALSO**  
 One Wagon two Ox Carts, one old Timber Cart, one Sportsman Hunting Buggy, one Dirt Cart, the Body and Irons of an old Rookaway, and a quantity of other Irons, such as Axletrees, Tires, and Cart Chains. Levied on as the property of A. R. Tabor at the suit of J. M. Crosswell.  
**ALSO**  
 200 bushels of Corn, 2000 lbs Fodder, 1 Stack Potatoes of 20 bushels. Levied on as the property of Peter E. Gibson at the suit of Daniel Davis.  
**Sheriff's Office,**  
 Orangeburg C. H., S. C.,  
 Nov. 11, 1868.  
**H. RIGGS, S. O. C.**

**ALSO**  
 SOUTH CAROLINA, Probate Court.  
 ORANGEBURG COUNTY, S. C.  
 Es parte F. W. Fahey, Admr. Estate of Jesse Patrick—Petition for sale of Real Estate.  
 By virtue of a decretal order to me directed from the Honorable the Probate Court of the said County, I will sell at public outcry at Orangeburg on Saturday in December next, (being the 7th Dec.) All that tract of land containing one hundred acres, more or less, situate on Catle Creek, and bounded by lands of John P. Berry, the same being a part of the estate of Jesse Patrick.  
 Terms—One-half cash, balance on a credit of twelve months, purchaser to give bond and mortgage for credit portion, and to pay for papers and stamps.  
 October 19, 1868.  
 H. RIGGS, S. O. C.  
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**ROBERT MURE & CO.,**  
 COMMISSIONERS, MERCHANTS,  
 Charleston, S. C.  
 AGENTS CHARLESTON AND LIVERPOOL STEAMSHIP LINE.  
 Advances made on shipments of Cotton, Rice, and Naval Stores to Foreign and Domestic Ports.  
 oct 24

**NOTICE TO PLANTERS.**  
 Soluble Pacific Guano.  
 THE HIGHLY SATISFACTORY AND REMARKABLE effects of this GUANO in producing very largely increased crops of Cotton, Corn and other staple crops, has attracted the general attention of planters and farmers. In order to confirm public confidence in the continued excellence of this Guano and avail of the best scientific ability in the prosecution of this important business, the PACIFIC GUANO COMPANY has constituted a professional Agent, of engagement with Dr. ST. JULIAN RAVENEL, of Charleston, S. C., as scientific adviser and consulting Chemist to the Company. Dr. RAVENEL is conversant with the composition and qualities of the Guano, as well as with the character, policy and unusual resources of the PACIFIC GUANO COMPANY, and will communicate full information on these points to planters who may call on him or address him by letter at Charleston, S. C.  
 JNO. S. REESE & CO., General Agents,  
 Pacific Guano Company, Baltimore, Md.  
 J. N. ROBSON,  
 Agent for South Carolina, Charleston, S. C.  
 oct 31

**MILLINERY**  
 OF THE  
 MOST  
 MODERN  
 STYLES  
 AT  
 MRS. C. OLDENDORFF'S

Who would respectfully inform the Ladies of Orangeburg and vicinity that she has opened a FULL and HANDSOME ASSORTMENT of FALL and WINTER MILLINERY of the most MODERN STYLES and FASHION.  
 Her usual PROMPT ATTENTION and MODERATE PRICES, she hopes will elicit a share of the Public patronage.  
 Please call and examine her STOCK at the well known Old Stand on Main Street, opposite Mr. Jos. McNamara's.  
 oct 24

**IN PROBATE COURT,**  
 ORANGEBURG COUNTY.  
 Ex parte Robert M. Argoe,  
 In re Robert M. Argoe,  
 Robert Argoe, Sr.  
 On hearing the petition in this case, and on motion of T. H. Cooke, Solicitor for petitioner, it is ordered:  
 That all persons interested be and are hereby notified to appear at the Judge of Probate's Office at Orangeburg Court House, on the second Monday in February A. D. 1869, for the purpose of shewing cause if any they can, why the will of Robert Argoe, Sr., late of said County, should not be established, and to that end to produce such witnesses as they may desire, and cross examine those produced by the petitioner.  
 Judge of Probate's Office. THAD C. ANDREWS,  
 Orangeburg, S. C.,  
 November 2, 1868.  
 nov 2

**ROUGH RICE, ROUGH RICE,**  
 Wanted at the COURT HOUSE STORE, where the highest prices in Cash or Barter will be allowed for it.  
 PEAS, GROUND NUTS, &c., bought in any quantity.  
 NEW HULLED BUCKWHEAT FLOUR just received, also a lot of Extra and Family FLOUR, (new), Table SYRUP, SUGARS, TEAS, &c., &c., always on hand.  
 PERUVIAN GUANO and WANDO FERTILIZER on consignment.  
 A lot of CHOICE CHEWING TOBACCO in whole and half boxes, which will be sold low to close out the lot.  
 Also a full supply of first rate CHEWING TOBACCO, which is going off at low prices.  
 BLACK SEED OATS for winter planting.  
 RED SEED WHEAT a choice article, and other reasonable goods to be had at the  
 COURT HOUSE STORE,  
 JOHN A. HAMILTON,  
 nov 7

**MEETING OF BOARD**  
 OF  
 COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.  
 The Annual Meeting of the Board of County Commissioners for Orangeburg will take place in the Court House of said County on the 4th Monday of November, inst., at 10 o'clock A. M. All persons having bills against the County are required to deposit the same with the Clerk of said board on or before Saturday the 21st day of November, inst., and in default thereof such bills will not be audited at said annual meeting.  
 T. H. COOKE,  
 Clerk Board County Commissioners.  
 nov 7

**FOR SALE, RENT**  
 OR LEASE.  
 THE FINE PLANTATION  
 Belonging to the Estate of the late Colonel KEITT, and well known as the  
 Darby Place.  
 These LANDS are among the BEST in the District, being situated on Lyon's Creek, commanding A FINE WATER-POWER, and of a Rich Red Clay Soil. They are offered at ONE-HALF their Valuation in 1866. Said Tract contains 600 acres.  
 Conditions—\$5,500—one-third cash, the balance in two yearly instalments. Address  
 MRS. LAURENCE KEITT,  
 nov 7—f Charleston, S. C.

**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,**  
 Orangeburg County. Citation.  
 By THAD C. ANDREWS, Esq., Judge of Probate WHEREAS, John M. Ayers, farmer, hath made suit to me to grant him Letters of Administration of the Estate and effects of John Ayers, deceased.  
 These are therefore to cite and admonish all and singular the kindred and creditors of the said John Ayers, deceased, that they be and appear before me, in the Court of Ordinary, to be held at Probate Office, Orangeburg C. H., on Monday, 23d day of November, inst., after publication hereof, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any they have, why the said Administration should not be granted.  
 Given under my hand this 7th day of November Anno Domini, 1868.  
 THAD C. ANDREWS, Judge of Probate,  
 nov 14—2t Orangeburg County.

**CORNELSON, KRAMER & CO.**  
 ARE BUYING AS USUAL  
**COTTON, RICE,**  
**CORN, PEAS, ETC.,**  
 AT THE HIGHEST PRICES FOR CASH.  
**CORNELSON, KRAMER & CO.**  
 Oct 3

**BULL, SCOVILL & PIKE**  
 ARE  
 BUYING COTTON  
 AT THE  
 HIGHEST MARKET RATES,  
 AS USUAL.

THEY HAVE ON HAND A COMPLETE  
 STOCK OF  
**DRY GOODS, GROCERIES,**  
**CLOTHING,**  
**SHOES,**  
**HARDWARE, &c.**

Special attention is invited to our Selection of **LADIES DRESS GOODS, CLOAKS, SHAWLS, &c., &c.**  
**GOODS purchased exclusively for CASH and will be sold at Lowest Market Rates.**  
**BULL, SCOVILL & PIKE.**  
 feb 23  
**STOCKER'S**  
**CHEAP CASH STORE.**  
 At the Red Sign near the Old Court House,  
 ORANGEBURG, S. C., OCTOBER 10th, 1868,  
 FALL AND WINTER GOODS. Having moved into a much larger Store, we are enabled to keep a good assortment in our line as any Store in Town. Our stock consists of Prints, Domestic Fall and Winter Dress Goods, Shawls, Gents Clothing, Notions, and a good selection of Boots, Shoes, Hats, &c. Also a good Assortment of Groceries, Liquors, and Hardware, which we offer to the Citizens of Orangeburg District at very low prices for cash. Respectfully soliciting your patronage, and hoping you will call on us soon, we remain,  
 Yours, truly,  
**JOHN D. STOCKER & CO.,**  
 Messrs. JOHN A. CUMMINGS and S. H. SYDNOR, are with us and will be happy to see their friends.  
 aug 22—1y

**Wm. T. Lightfoot & Co.,**  
 ARE CONSTANTLY RECEIVING  
 Full and well selected assortments of  
**DRY GOODS**  
 and all articles suited to this market. They sell for CASH, and sell at the lowest rates. They buy all kinds of Country Produce and pay highest prices, either in Cash or Barter.  
 A fine selection of  
**LIQUORS**  
 Constantly on hand, without any contribution from the  
**ORANGEBURG FIRE WELLS.**  
 Call at the new building known as well as Willcock's Tin and Stone Store.  
 Wm. T. Lightfoot & Co.  
 Oct 31

**Housekeepers Attention.**  
 IF YOU WOULD SAVE ONE CENT'S WORTH OF FIRE, come to WILLCOCK'S and buy a BEACON LIGHT.  
 SOUTHERN STATES OF  
**COOKING STOVE.**  
 These and other patterns always on hand, and warranted to come up to representation, at  
**WM. WILLCOCK'S**  
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**D. LOUIS & CO.,**  
 AGENTS  
 OF THE  
**THE TOP**  
 OF THE  
**MARKET.**  
 D. LOUIS & CO., Agents.  
 feb 15

**F. H. W. BRIGGMANN & CO.**  
 RESPECTFULLY INFORM OUR ORANGEBURG Friends that we have moved into our  
**NEW STORE**  
 Where we are ready to supply our Friends and the Public in general with a full and fresh supply of  
**DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, SHOES, HATS.**  
 Also all kinds of  
**LIQUORS, WINES, PORTER, ALE, ETC.,** at reduced Prices.  
 We have a fine lot of FAMILY FLOUR from Jno. CAMPSEN & CO.'S Mill, Charleston, put up in small Sacks, very low, and of the best quality. We offer for sale the RECIPE for making JACKSON'S UNIVERSAL WASHING COMPOUND and JACKSON'S LAUNDRY SOAP for One Dollar, which has given satisfaction to all to whom we have sold.  
 We will buy COTTON and all other PRODUCE giving the highest market price for cash for 60 days, FREE OF CHARGE and make LIBERAL ADVANCES on the same.  
 oct 3—1y F. H. W. BRIGGMANN & CO.

**REMOVED.**  
 The Subscriber would respectfully inform his friends and customers that he has moved his BAR to the rear of his STORE on Russell-Street, where he will keep constantly on hand a good supply of LIQUORS of the BEST BRANDS SEGARS, TOBACCO, &c.  
 JAS. GANNON,  
 sept 19—6m

**DR. OLIVEROS' CELEBRATED CHILL AND FEVER CURE.**  
 ALSO  
**BILIOUS CATHARTIC OR LIVER PILLS.**  
 may 2—1y  
**In Equity.**  
 ORANGEBURG DISTRICT.  
 Melcher K. Holms, Admr.  
 Elize Strouman, et. al.  
 By order of the Court of Equity in the above stated case, the creditors of the late Nicholas Strouman, deceased, are hereby required to establish their demands before me, on or before the tenth day of December next.  
 Commissioner's Office, V. D. V. JAMISON,  
 Orangeburg C. H., S. C.,  
 October 27, 1868.  
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**NOTICE.—All Persons who have not paid their TAXES, will find EXECUTIONS for the same in my office, and will do well to call and settle the same, as they will save some of the cost by so doing.**  
 H. RIGGS, S. O. C.  
 oct 17—f